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AMENDMENT/SUBMISSION FOR RCE

As a submission for the request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 submitted simultaneously herewith, and also in response to the FINAL Official Action dated July 25, 2006 (for which petition is hereby made for a three-month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12.